Subject: 2% Fire Dues Self-Certification Conclusion

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The 2016 Wisconsin Fire Dues Self-Certification has concluded. As of the April 1 statutory deadline, 99% of both municipal clerks and fire department chiefs had completed their Fire Dues Self-Certification form(s). Thank you to everyone who helped this year's process to be successful.

For those fire departments that have non-completed self-certification forms by either the fire chief or the municipal clerk, the forms have been automatically recorded as non-compliant and will require a fire department audit. Fire Coordinators will be contacting fire chiefs of non-compliant fire departments to schedule an audit.

Fire Dues payments will be issued to qualified municipalities prior to August. An explanation of 2016 Fire Department Dues Payments for Calendar Year 2015, and a list of the computed Fire Dues payments will be posted to the <u>Fire Prevention – 2% Dues</u> web page once the checks are processed. Checks are mailed to the address for the municipal treasurer as recorded with the Wisconsin Department of Revenue.

For additional information regarding the 2% Fire Dues Fund (what is it, how payments are calculated, how the payments can be used, what is the web application):

WI Fire Prevention Program – 2% Fire Dues: http://dsps.wi.gov/Programs/Industry-Services-Programs/Fire-Prevention/Fire-Department-2-Dues/